

The infant child of Mr and Mrs Ota Warwick is very sick.

T. S. McNeil is in Highland County this week.

J. H. Hechner, of Grafton, is in town.

Col John Alexander has returned from an extended business trip to Philadelphia.

A party of New Yorkers passed through Marlinton in an automobile Tuesday.

Mrs U. S. McNeil, of Centralia, with her four children is visiting friends in Marlinton.

Walter L. Gillilan, attorney at law, of Chicago, was here last week on business.

Miss Anna Fleishman, of Driscoll, is visiting friends in Greenbrier this week.

H. F. Morgan has moved into his new house on Upper Camden Avenue.

Mrs G. W. Nickell and son Paul were in Monroe and Greenbrier Counties last week.

Dr R. A. Webb will preach at Edray Sunday afternoon, July 22, at 3:30 p. m.

W. G. Mathews, of Charleston, is in Marlinton on a fishing excursion.

Mr McCarty, of Charleston, has accepted a position as pharmacist at the Pocahontas Drug Store.

G. E. Miller, of the Nickell-Miller Companies, is in Monroe County, on a vacation.

Miss Lula Higginbotham, of Buchanan, is visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs B. M. Yeager.

John A. Young, who has been sick the past few weeks, is able to be up and around.

Miss Lizzie Wagh, of Edray, has returned from a visit to her sister Mrs Vaughn, in Fayette.

The Marlinton Laundry has been doing a good business from the start. It is running full time, and already it is found necessary to enlarge the plant.

Little Harry Sharp, of Marlinton, has added to our collection of Indian relics, a nicely finished belt or hatchet.

U. S. McNeil, a former Pocahontas citizen, has been appointed postmaster at Centralia, in Braxton County.

Licenses has been granted John M. Livesey to operate two pool tables in the temporary Court house building.

One of Mr and Mrs A. D. William's little twin children have been dangerously ill the past week.

On the way from church Sunday, July 15, Mrs G. W. Nickell lost a gold breast pin, set with two moon stones. A suitable reward, if returned to this office.

Paris D. Yeager went to Clifton Forge Tuesday to meet Mrs Yeager who has been on an extended visit to friends in Lynchburg.

County Court was in session Monday. Little or no business was done. Adjournment was made until Friday when the assessment books will be done, and the levy will be laid.

A man named Bowers, who has been suffering from a chronic attack of appendicitis, was brought to Marlinton by his physician, Dr Lockridge, to consult with Dr Randolph on Thursday.

Rev Dr R. A. Webb, of the Southwest University, Clarksville, Tennessee, preached two sermons to appreciative congregations in Marlinton Sunday. He will preach here again in the Presbyterian church next Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Barlow, daughter of Mr and Mrs John Barlow, of Edray, died at her home on Friday, in the 17th year of her life. For some weeks she had been suffering from an aggravated case of appendicitis, and had undergone an operation, but was not strong enough to rally from the shock. We publish a memorial notice in another column.

Right Rev Bishop Donahue, of Wheeling, W. Va., was in Marlinton Tuesday.

J. G. Tilton, a well-known resident of Marlinton, fell and broke his leg at Dronoy, eight miles below Marlinton, Tuesday morning. He was hurrying to catch the train and slipped on a muddy place, breaking his leg above the knee. Some years since Mr Tilton disabled himself by heavy lifting and since that time has walked on crutches.

There are at present nine prisoners in the county jail, the most there has ever been. Fred Wright, the negro boy convicted of wrecking a freight train and stealing a locomotive, was taken to the Reform School by Sheriff McNeil Thursday.

Paxton Grove, Walter McCallister, John Barley and Tom Dolin the friends who criminally assaulted the innocent, unexpected country girl at Roneverte last week, have been indicted for rape, highway robbery, and accessories to the first named crime by the Greenbrier grand jury, now in session. Their trial has been set for next Monday. Feeling is naturally running high, and there seems to be little chance of a miscarriage of justice.

Lewisburg District Conference meets at Marlinton Tuesday July 31. Presiding Elder G. T. Tyler presides. There will be about sixty delegates and preachers. We hope to be able to publish next week a list of the delegates and the families which will entertain them the three days Conference will be in session. This is the first time the town has been honored by the meeting together of so large a body of Methodists.

The Assyrian, under indictment for burglary, who escaped from the county jail last fall, has been captured at Bayard and will be brought here for trial. He and a man named Wenger and another prisoner made their escape by cutting the bolts of a patched cell and digging out some bricks. The Assyrian had broken into Book's store at Boyer and had stolen a lot of jewelry. He was caught in the act and recognized by Fred Book.

Assessor Joe Buzzard is having trouble. He had fixed up his property books in the best style and had them all ready to turn in to the County Court. He could already hear the commendation of the Court, "Well done, thou good servant; go now and put up thy hay." With no small degree of pride was he reviewing the work of the clerk and going over the alphabetical list of names. Then he began to miss names and blame people. For three days he looked high and low, and finally found them at the Bank, where one of his deputies had carelessly left them. Then the job had to be done all over again, and a week of valuable time consumed. The number of capitations now number 3314.

Bill Arrington, a yellow negro, who drives a dray wagon, had his leg cut off by the 4:30 train Thursday evening. He had been to Durbin, and being a "run nigger" was pretty well organized. Just as the train neared the station, some drunken vagary prompted him to jump off. Both the brakeman and conductor tried to save him. He was dragged under the car wheels and the trucks passed over his leg below the knee. Among the first to arrive to his assistance was Dr. Randolph, who administered opiates. Bill was then removed to the office of Drs Price where his leg was amputated. Friday morning he was taken to the C. & O. hospital at Clifton Forge.

Father Blake, of the West Virginia News, has at last received recognition at the hands of his party, and has been given the nomination for House of Delegates by the Republicans of Greenbrier. While the honor has been long deserved, we fear it has come at a time when it can prove but an empty one as the Democracy of Greenbrier seems to have ceased to waver. The convention which nominated Mr Blake was a stormy one, a fight being on between McClung and Miller for the State Senator. Of Greenbrier's 24 delegates, Miller captured 13.

ITALIAN KILLED

Accidentally Shot at Durbin
Cameru Brune and bosom friend, late of Southern Italy, employed at the tannery above Durbin, went hunting last Sunday, against the peace and dignity of the State: it being the closed season for all game and that which is not game should not be killed anyway. With their \$1.79 shot guns they had killed a robin and a crow, and had sat themselves down beside the railway track to pick the birds and clean the guns. Brune got a shell stuck in his gun and in extracting it incidentally shot his friend's head off.

Prosecuting Attorney W. A. Bratton, sent Special Officer Paris D. Yeager to investigate the affair, and Squire Oliver held an inquest. It was an accident, and the jury rendered a verdict in accordance, exonerating Brune of murder, but the Squire sent him up for a fine for hunting out of season.

The dead man, however, had relatives at work at Glad and his blood cried aloud from the ground to them for vengeance, and three of them set out to avenge his death. While at Durbin Mr Yeager had to keep his prisoner out of their sight in order to avoid trouble. They even came on the same train to Marlinton.

Brune had a fellow countryman, F. P. Woole, who is a merchant at Marlinton, and he went to him for assistance. Woole said he would stand for his fine if he would go to work. Brune was willing, and set out, against his friend's advice, for the tannery in quest of a job.

He had not gone far before he was set upon by the avengers of blood, who despitely used him. He was stabbed immediately in front of the right ear, scratched about the throat, cut on the hand, and kicked in the side. The weapon used was a sharp pointed Italian knife. The wound near the ear missed by a little way, the temple, which, we have recently learned, is a favorite and fatal spot for the knife fighters of Southern Italy to stab a man.

Brune got away from his three assailants and stampeded back to town, where his wounds were dressed by Dr Yeager. He decided he would serve a ten days sentence in jail rather than pay his fine. Town Sergeant Yeager went on a hunt of the avengers of blood, but was unable to overtake them.

Brune is a slight, olive skinned boy, eighteen years old, who has been in America about a year. He knows little or no English, and is thoroughly frightened lest the dead man's friends will get him yet.

Bond Issue Carries

The motion to bond the town for a sewer system and to improve and repair the streets met with the full approbation of the voters last Thursday, and carried by a vote of 88 to 6. So apparent is the necessity of doing something that the people, with a few exceptions, were unanimous in passing the measure, and the reason of the small vote being cast, was that the opposition was not sufficient to scare the people into leaving their work.

The bonds are six per cent ones and run for ten and twenty years. Five thousand dollars worth of sewer and ten thousand dollars in street bonds will be issued and sold to the highest bidder, as provided for in the code.

Among the much needed improvements will be the turning Knappe Creek against the bill which it threatens to wash out Ninth Street.

It has not been decided how Eighth Street will be made, but it will either be paved with brick or macadamized. Whichever is done, the public can rest assured that it will be done well. The town will put in the sewer system, but owing to the necessity of purchasing expensive street building machinery, the street work will probably be let to contract.

Dunmore

Fine showers and good growing weather. A little damp on haymakers, but good for the fish. Uncle Charlie Hevener is pushing the phone line.

W. H. Dilley supplied our town with eggs Monday.

The venerable Peter D. Yeager is spending a few weeks in town and partaking of our fine Irish water.

Mack Gilmer spent a part of Sunday in one end of our town.

Miss Mollie Houchin, of Dunmore, spent Sunday in town.

There was a servendable hail storm on Back Alleghany Mountain last week. Some damage done.

Miss Clarice Cleek, of Bath, and Miss Carrie Lightner, of Greenbrier, were here last week.

Mrs Geo. H. Moffett, of Parkersburg, is visiting her old home.

Billie Geiger was looking about the building of the road up Swago, and says some man will lose sweat in building it.

A number of strangers were here last Friday night. Grandpa was along and located a gas mine for them. Then he ran out of gas and had to send for Swecker.

The big meeting at Arbovale is on Saturday.

Our town and neighborhood was shocked last Thursday by the death of Mrs Lucy Sheets, wife of Deputy Sheriff Samuel Sheets, in the thirty-eighth year of her age. She was a daughter of Captain and Mrs G. W. Siple, of Greenbank, and was a most exemplary christian woman, fond mother and loving wife; a person who will be greatly missed in our community. She is mourned by one child, her husband, and a host of relatives and friends. She was laid to rest in the Dunmore cemetery, in the presence of one of the largest congregations ever gathered here on a like occasion. The friends who bore the remains to their last resting place were Jesse Warwick, W. H. Taylor, William Gibson, H. M. Moore, W. J. Pritchard, H. E. Nixon, Fred and Forrest Pritchard, K. D. Swecker, Jacob McLaughlin, June McElwee, Harry Woodall. The services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. R. Q. Burr assisted by Rev R. E. Fultz.

Resolutions of Respect

Whereas it has pleased our Heavenly Father to take from the home of our much esteemed brother, Samuel Sheets of Marlinton Lodge 132 I. O. O. F., his devoted wife, Mrs Lucy C. Sheets. Therefore be it resolved:

First, that while our hearts are caused to sorrow on account of this sad Providence, we bow in humble submission to Him who is too wise to err, and too merciful to be unkind.

Second, that we extend to our bereaved brother our sincere and heartfelt sympathy in his sore bereavement and great loss, and commend him to the care and comfort of Him, who has told us to weep not as those that have no hope, and look forward to the meeting in the great beyond.

Third, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Lodge, a copy sent to Bro Sheets, and copies be given the Pocahontas Times and Marlinton Messenger for publication.

GRO. S. TAYLOR
R. B. SLAVIN
J. W. YEAGER
Committee.

The Sabbath School of the M. E. Church South at Dunmore W. Va., held a service in memory of Mrs Lucy Sheets, lately deceased. After a short talk by the Supt., a committee was appointed and it was Resolved-That in the death of Mrs Sheets the Sabbath School has lost a member who was always true to its best interests and who was ever helpful. Resolved-That we take this opportunity to express our sad realization of our loss and to extend to the bereaved family our sincere sympathy. Furthermore, be it.

Violinist and Harp Concert

Mrs Helen Reed Alexander, Harpist and Soprano, and Miss L. Dorothea Webb, Violinist, will give a rehearsal at the Court House Tuesday night, July 24th, at 8:30 o'clock. The program, which we publish in another column, is said by those who know to be a highly entertaining one.

Miss Webb, who is not unknown to us, comes highly recommended. She gave an entertainment in Marlinton last Christmas. The attendance was not large as one of the worst storms of the whole winter raged, but those who were there were amply repaid for braving the weather. It is to be hoped that the concert will have the attendance it merits, and the evening of the twenty fourth will see a full house as a number of local lovers of music have gone to no little expense to secure these services of these talented young ladies, whom they have guaranteed a good sun.

Married, at the Valley Hotel, Wednesday July 18, 1906, Clark McCloud to Mrs Mary E. Gragg, Rev Wm. T. Price, D. D., officiating minister. These are prominent Back Alleghany people, and with each it is their second matrimonial venture. The bride's maiden name was Tallman, and she is a much respected young lady. Quite a number of Back Alleghany residents, friends and relatives accompanied the contracting parties. They were Miss Rachel Tallman, Mr and Mrs James A. McCloud, Mr and Mrs Enos Tallman, Mr and Mrs Wm Tallman, Miss Grace Barrette, James H. Galford, Joseph McLaughlin, and Robert and Page McCloud, sons of the groom. The bridal party went back on the noon train to Hosterman, where they will reside, accompanied by the well wishes and heartiest congratulations.

Edwin L. Beard accompanied by Miss Mary Jordan passed Marlinton Wednesday on the way to Mingo where Mr Beard will assist his son in hay harvest. Last spring Mr Beard imported 240 thoroughbred sheep, which he has since been grazing on his Randolph property. They are doing finely and promise to become the banner flock of the Greenbrier Valley, if they are not that already. Beside having seven killed on the train and losing a like number from eating laurel, he has had remarkable good luck with them.

Spruce Flat

Plenty of rain and mud. Harvesting is the order of the day. The sick at J. M. Kennison's are improving. H. K. Wilson is doing a big logging business. He has sawed two hundred thousand in the past month.

Frank Hayes has three teams on the road hauling lumber and says he never saw the road as bad as they are. Emery Miller is doing a lot of skidding for W. McClure.

J. A. Beverage is skidding for H. K. Wilson, and Walter Cole is hauling lumber.

William Adkinson has moved to John Adkinson's place and is preparing to harvest some.

Miss Valley Armstrong, who has been visiting in this part, has returned to her home at Caldwell.

James Sheets has been loading cars the past week.

Miss Grace Rodgers, who has been staying at John Beverage's, has returned home.

The Sunday School is progressing nicely with H. K. Wilson Superintendent.

Homer McNeil killed a number of ground hogs the other day.


Rev Gimes preached a very interesting sermon to a large congregation last Sunday.

A Car Load of Cigars

An order of cigars unique in the annals of the grocery business of this section was delivered at Roneverte a few days since. It was that of a whole car load for the Greenbrier Grocery Company.

The cigars were made by the Hill Grammond Company, Binghamton, New York, and shipped direct from the factory. They are for the smokers in the Greenbrier Valley, the Greenbrier Grocery Company being the largest distributor of cigars in this territory.

Their representative, E. W. Hutchison, makes weekly trips to accommodate the trade of Pocahontas.



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PAUL GOLDEN.

Violin and Harp Concert

Court-House, July 24, 1906, 8 p. m.

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| MRS HELEN REED ALEXANDER, | Harpist and Soprano |
| MISS L. DOROTHEA WEBB, | Violinist |
| PROGRAMME | |
| 1 Harp Solo | Dance of the Faries Mrs Helen Reed Alexander |
| 2 Violin Solo | A Gavotte B Oberstass Mazurka Miss L. Dorothea Webb |
| 3 Vocal Solo | The Swallows Mrs Alexander |
| 4 Violin and Harp | Adoration Miss Webb and Mrs Alexander |
| 5 Harp Solo | A Sweet Remembrance B Raindrops Mrs Alexander |
| 6 Violin Solo | American Rhapsody Miss Webb |
| 7 Violin and Harp | A Lani du Bal B Ave Maria Miss Webb and Mrs Alexander |

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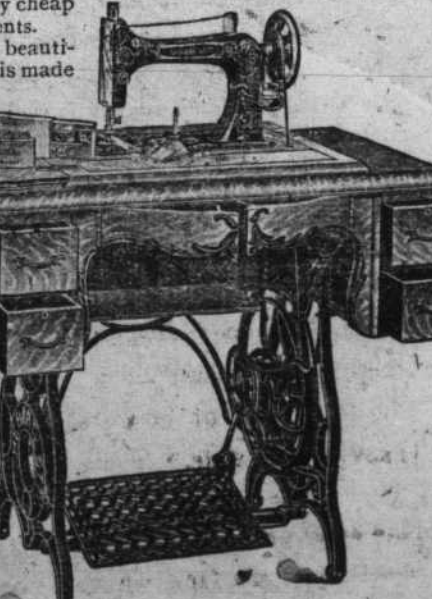
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